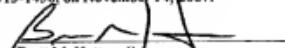


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Amendment and Response

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to an Office Action mailed August 30, 2007 from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified U.S. reissue patent application. A response to this Office Action is due on or before November 30, 2007. No fee is believed to be due,